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NATIONAL PLANNING PROCEDURES HANDBOOK 180-NPPH Notice 3

Attached is Amendment 4 dated March 2003, of the National Planning Procedures Handbook (NPPH). Amendment 4 replaces in its entirety Amendment 3 dated January 2000.

Major Change: The major change is the addition of Part 600.5 – Comprehensive Nutrient Management Planning Technical Guidance.

Filing Instructions: Remove Amendment 3 from your NPPH three-ring binder and replace with the attached NPPH Amendment 4. Dividers from Amendment 3 can be reused. You will need to provide a new section divider for Part 600.5 - Comprehensive Nutrient Management Planning. The Exhibits and Glossary dividers should be renumber from 5 and 6 to 6 and 7.

Electronic Copies: The NPPH is currently available online at:

http://policy.nrcs.usda.gov/scripts/lpsiis.dll/H/H_180_600 A.pdf

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